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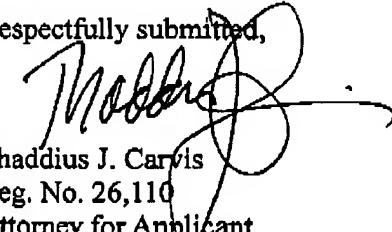
**(2) REMARKS**

**I. Provisional Double Patenting**

Claims 1-23 have been provisionally rejected over the claims of U. S. Patent Application No. 10/059843 and U. S. Patent Application No. 10/059844.

By submission of the accompanying Terminal Disclaimer in this file and like documents in the above-identified files, it is believed that all bases for refusal of this application have been removed and that the application should be granted as a patent. Confirmation in this regard is earnestly solicited.

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